

Acceptable Voter ID

- ❖ Wisconsin driver license*
- ❖ WI DOT-issued photo ID card*
- ❖ U.S. passport*
- ❖ Military ID card*

**The above documents may not have expired earlier than the date of the last November election.*

- ❖ Certificate of naturalization issued within last 2 years
- ❖ Unexpired Wisconsin driver license or state ID receipt
- ❖ ID card issued by a federally recognized Indian tribe in WI
- ❖ Unexpired ID issued by a WI accredited university or college - *must contain issuance date, student signature, and expiration date within 2 years of issuance, along with proof of current enrollment.*

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does not need to
show a current address.**

Jefferson County Clerk's Office

311 S. Center Ave.

Jefferson, WI 53549

(920) 674-8630

Counter Service

8am-4pm

www.jeffersoncountywi.gov



ADDITIONAL RESOURCES:

My Vote WI

www.myvote.wi.gov

Bring it to the Ballot

www.bringit.wisconsin.gov

Government Accountability Board

Voter Information Center

www.gab.wi.gov/voters



Voter ID Information

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Photo ID Exemptions

Photo ID is not required for the following absentee voters:

- Military voters
- Voters who are permanently overseas
- Confidential Voters
- Indefinitely confined voters
- Nursing home residents and other voters who have ballots delivered by Special Voting Deputies
- Residents of Care Facilities who are not visited by Special Voting Deputies

Absentee Ballot Requests

Absentee requests for ballots sent by mail must be accompanied by a photocopy or picture of an acceptable form of voter ID.

Once you have sent the Clerk's Office a photocopy of your ID, you will not need to send copies with future requests. Please read your absentee ballot instruction letter very carefully. We want your vote to count!

Hospitalized Voters

Hospitalized voters may appoint an agent to pick up their ballot from their Municipal Clerk's Office. The agent needs to bring the hospitalized voter's photo ID to the Municipal Clerk's Office.

Please see our website at

http://www.jeffersoncountywi.gov/elected_officials/municipal_officials/index.php

In-Person Absentee Voting

Absentee voters casting a ballot in their Municipal Clerk's Office must present a photo ID just as they would if they were voting at the polls.

Provisional Ballots

Voters unable to provide an acceptable form of photo ID on Election Day will become provisional voters.

Provisional ballots are not counted unless the voter provides the Municipal Clerk's Office with an acceptable photo ID by 4 p.m. the Friday after the election.

Obtaining a Wisconsin ID

If you are eligible to vote but do not have a Wisconsin ID card, you may obtain a **free** ID for voting. You will need to check a box on the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV) application to indicate that you need the ID for voting. For more information, see:

www.dot.wisconsin.gov/drivers/drivers/apply/idcard.htm.

You may need to provide a certified birth certificate or passport in order to obtain your free ID. If you have changed your name since birth, you will need to provide proof of your legal name change.

Unavailable Documentation

Rather than pay a fee for the documentation required for a free Wisconsin ID, you may petition the DMV to verify your identity with a state or federal agency. For details, see:

www.dot.wisconsin.gov/drivers/drivers/apply/petition-process.htm.

File the petition as soon as possible. The DMV will try to complete verification within seven business days, but the process may take longer.

When to Visit the DMV

For the shortest lines, visit the DMV midmorning or mid-afternoon and try to avoid Mondays, Fridays, and the beginning and end of each month.

ID customers are given priority service at the DMV. Although wait times vary by location and day, the DMV reports that 70% of customers wait in line less than 20 minutes. Everyone who is in the office at closing time will be served.

DMV LOCATIONS & HOURS:

Madison East DMV service center

2001 Bartillon Drive
Madison, WI

Monday: 8:30am-4:30pm
Tuesday: 8:30am-4:30pm
Wednesday: 8am-4pm
Thursday: 10am-5:30pm
Friday: 8:30am-4:30pm

Fort Atkinson service center

Municipal Building
101 N. Main Street
Fort Atkinson, WI

2nd & 4th Thursday: 8:15am-4:30pm

Watertown service center

810 West St
Watertown, WI

Monday: 7:00am-5:00pm
Wednesday: 7:00am-5:00pm